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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: : GUDRUN VANDEGINSTE

Serial No. : 09/368,852

Filed : August 5, 1999

For : DEMONSTRATING AN EFFECT OF A SIGNAL-  
PROCESSING OPERATION BY A SIGNAL-PROCESSING  
DEVICE

Group No. : 2614

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

No fees are believed to be necessary; however, in the event that any fees are required for the prosecution of this application, please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0208. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is needed, the extension is requested and please charge the fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

In response to the Office Action dated December 3, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows: